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Via Facsimile and Federal Express

Jonathan G. Katz Secretary U.S. Securities & Exchange Commission 450 5th Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20549

Re: Sworn Statements Pursuant to Commission Order 4-460

Dear Mr. Katz:

In accordance with Securities and Exchange Commission Order 4-460 issued June 27, 2002, we attach for filing the sworn statements of Harsco Corporation's Principal Executive Officer, Derek C. Hathaway, and Principal Financial Officer, Salvatore D. Fazzolari, each in the form of Exhibit A to that Order.

Sincerely,

Paul C. Coppock

Senior Vice President.

Chief Administrative Officer, General Counsel and Secretary OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

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Attachment

cc: D. C. Hathaway

S. D. Fazzolari

S. J. Schnoor

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Statement Under Oath of Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer Regarding Facts and Circumstances Relating to Exchange Act Filings

1, Salvatore D. Fazzolari, state and attest that:

Salvatore D. Fazzolari

August 8, 2002

- (1) To the best of my knowledge, based upon a review of the covered reports of Harsco Corporation, and, except as corrected or supplemented in a subsequent covered report:
 - no covered report contained an untrue statement of a material fact as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which it was filed); and
 - no covered report omitted to state a material fact necessary to make the statements in the covered report, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which it was filed).
- (2) I have reviewed the contents of this statement with the Company's audit committee.
- (3) In this statement under oath, each of the following, if filed on or before the date of this statement, is a "covered report":
 - Annual Report of Harsco Corporation on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2001;
 - all reports on Form 10-Q, all reports on Form 8-K and all definitive proxy materials of Harsco Corporation filed with the Commission subsequent to the filing of the Form 10-K identified above; and
 - any amendments to any of the foregoing.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of

August, 2002.

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Patricia A. Hocker **Notary Public**

My Commission Expires: December 31, 2005

NOTARIAL SEAL PATRICIA A. HOCKER, Notary Public Wormleysburg, PA Cumberland County My Commission Expires Dec. 31, 2005